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Applicants	George Berci, et al.
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Title of Application:	Endoscopic Intubation System
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 Assistant Commissioner for Patents
 Washington, DC 20231

Response to Official Action

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action of September 24, 2002, Applicants submit the following Amendment and Remarks.

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Amendment Revisions

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In the claims

Please amend the claims as follows:

- 31/ 1. Endoscopic intubation system, in particular for babies or very small children, comprising:
- an endotracheal tube having an inner diameter;
 - an endoscope, comprising:
 - a shaft having a proximal and a distal end, said shaft being substantially bend-resist[er]ant and having an outer diameter slightly smaller than said inner diameter

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